

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
FOREST SERVICE  
BOISE NATIONAL FOREST  
MOUNTAIN HOME RANGER DISTRICT**

***ROAD and TRAIL CLOSURE  
Portion of NFSR #172 (Trinity Creek Road)  
TRAIL 173A AND TRAIL 173B  
For Public Safety during a Construction Project***

**PROHIBITIONS**

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b), the following acts are prohibited on the National Forest System road and trails described in this order, within the administrative boundaries of the Mountain Home Ranger District, Boise National Forest. This Order will be in effect from July 24, 2013 through August 2, 2013, or until project is completed and signing has been removed by Forest officers.

1. Using any type of motorized vehicle on National Forest System Road #474 (as described below). **36 CFR 261.54(a)**
2. Using any type of motorized vehicle on National Forest System Trails #173A and #173B (as described below). **36 CFR 261.55(b)**

**EXEMPTIONS**

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this order:

1. Persons with a special use authorization or other Forest Service authorization specifically exempting them from the effect of this Order.
2. Any Federal, State, or local law enforcement officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.
3. Federal or State administrative personnel in the performance of an official duty.
4. Construction contractor (Kesler Construction) and their employees and agents while doing work related to the culvert installation project.

**ROAD AND TRAIL CLOSURE DESCRIPTION**

**National Forest System Road (NFSR) #172 (Trinity Creek Road)** is described as beginning at the junction of NFSR #172 and NFSR #183 (aka Wagontown Road) located within Township 3 North, Range 9 East, NE ¼ Section 3, to its termination (junction with NFSR #129) located within Township 4 North, Range 9 East, SE ¼ Section 20, Boise Meridian. The described road is within the Mountain Home Ranger District, Boise National Forest, Boise Meridian, Boise County, Idaho.

**National Forest System Trail (NFST) #173A** is described as beginning at the junction of NFSR #129 located within T4N, R9E, NE ¼ Section 31, to its termination located at the junction of NFSR #172 within T4N, R9E, NW ¼ Section 33.

**National Forest System Trail (NFST) #173B** is described as beginning at the junction of NFSR #172 located within T4N, R9E, NW ¼ Section 33, to its termination located within T4N, R9E, NW ¼ Section 35. The described trails are within the Mountain Home Ranger District, Boise National Forest, Boise Meridian, Boise County, Idaho.

### **PURPOSE**

The segment of road and trails, as described above, must be closed to all motorized access to provide for public safety and protection during the construction and installation of a new bottomless arch culvert at the North Fork of Trinity Creek.

### **IMPLEMENTATION**

1. This Order will be in effect from July 24 through August 2, 2013, or until the construction project is completed and signing is removed by Forest officers.
2. A map identifying the above-described area is attached to and made part of this Order.
3. Any violation of this order is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, and/or imprisonment for not more than six months [Title 16 USC 551, Title 18 USC 3571(b)(6), Title 18 USC 3581 (b)(7)].
4. This Order supersedes any previous orders/notices for the above-described roads or portions thereof.
5. Further information regarding this Order may be obtained at the Mountain Home Ranger District Office, Mountain Home, ID, telephone number 208-587-7961, and at the Boise National Forest Supervisor's Office, Boise, ID, telephone number 208-373-4101.

Done at Boise, Idaho this 15 day of July, 2013.

*For Cecilia R. Seesholtz*

CECILIA R. SEESHOLTZ

Forest Supervisor  
Boise National Forest

**Order Number: 0402-01-48**

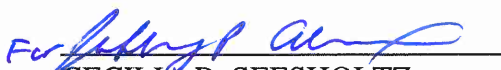
Assessment of Need and Enforcement Plan  
Mountain Home Ranger District – Boise National Forest

1. Background. A contract has been awarded to Kesler Construction for installation of a new bottomless arch culvert at NF Trinity Creek. This site is located on National Forest System Road # 172 which is on the Mountain Home Ranger District. Construction will start on July 24, 2013 and go to August 2, 2013 or until the project is completed.

2. Intent of Subpart B order. This temporary road closure and adjacent trails closure is for all motorized access to promote public safety during construction and installation of this new culvert.

3. Enforcement Plan. On ground signing and temporary barricades and maintenance of the signs at the junction of NFSR #172 and NFSR #183, the junction of NFSR #129 and NFSR #172, and the beginning and ending termini of NFST #173A and NFST #173B to advise the public of temporary road closure during construction. On site signing to advise the public of the area that is closed to entry will be posted. On site FS administrative personnel will make compliance contacts as needed.

<u>Action</u>	<u>Responsible Official</u>	<u>Date</u>
Prepare proposed order	Appropriate Staff with LE&I input	07/08/13
Review proposed order	Supervisory LEO	07/10/13
Review proposed order	RO LE&I and OGC	07/15/13
Approve proposed order	Forest Supervisor	When signed
Post order in accordance with 36 CFR 261.51	District Staff Officer and Staff	07/23/13
Prepare news release for local media describing the order and management objectives	PAO	As-needed
Educational contacts will be made to obtain voluntary compliance as needed	Appropriate Staff LEO/field going personnel through out the temporary closure period.	On going
Plan approved for implementation:		

  
CECILIA R. SEESHOLTZ  
Forest Supervisor  
Boise National Forest

7/15/13  
DATE

